ACRONYM LIST

AB Assembly Bill

ACEC Areas of Critical Environmental Concern
ACHP Advisory Council on Historic Preservation

ACS American Community Survey

AFB Air Force Base

AFC Application for Certification

ALUCP Airport Land Use Compatibility Plan

AMSL above mean sea level
ANF Angeles National Forest
APCD air pollution control district
APE Area of Potential Effects

AQMD air quality management district

ARRA American Recovery and Reinvestment Act

AVWS audio visual warning systems

BIA Bureau of Indian Affairs

BLM Bureau of Land Management

BMCP Bird and Mammal Conservation Program
BNSF Burlington Northern and Santa Fe Railway

BOR Bureau of Reclamation

BSTRC Bob Stump Training Range Complex C-AMA California-Arizona Maneuver Area CARB California Air Resources Board CDCA California Desert Conservation Area

CDFW California Department of Fish and Wildlife CDWR California Department of Water Resources

CEC California Energy Commission
CEQ Council on Environmental Quality
CEQA California Environmental Quality Act

CERCLA Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act

CESA California Endangered Species Act

CFR Code Federal Regulations
CGS California Geological Survey
CHL California Historical Landmark
CHSC California Health and Safety Code
CLNWC China Lake Naval Weapons Center

CMAGR Chocolate Mountain Aerial Gunnery Range
CMAs Conservation and Management Actions
CNDDB California Natural Diversity Database
CNEL community noise equivalent level

CNPS California Native Plant Society

CO carbon monoxide CO2 carbon dioxide

CPA Conservation Planning Area

CPUC California Public Utilities Commission

CRG Cultural Resources Geodatabase

CRHR California Register of Historical Resources

CRPR California Rare Plant Rank
CRS Colorado River Substation

CSLC California State Lands Commission

CVAG Coachella Valley Association of Governments

CWA Clean Water Act

DBCP dibromochloropropane

DC direct current

DDT 2-bis(pchloro-phenyl)ethane

DEM Digital Elevation Model
DFAs Development Focus Areas
DOD Department of Defense
DOE Department of Energy

DOGGR California Department of Conservation, Division of Oil, Gas, and

Geothermal Resources

DOI Department of the Interior
DOT Department of Transportation
DPS distinct population segment

DRECP Desert Renewable Energy Conservation Plan

DTC Desert Training Center

DWMA Desert Wildlife Management Area

EAFB Edwards Air Force Base EDB ethylene dibromide

EIR Environmental Impact Report
EIS Environmental Impact Statement

El Environmental Justice

EJSEAT Environmental Justice Strategic Enforcement Assessment Tool

EO Executive Order

EPA Environmental Protection Agency

ERMA Extensive Recreation Management Area

ESA Endangered Species Act

FAA Federal Aviation Administration

FEIS Final Environmental Impact Statement FEMA Federal Emergency Management Agency FHWA Federal Highway Administration

FLPMA Federal Land Policy and Management Act
FMMP Farmland Mapping and Monitoring Program

FPPA Farmland Protection Policy Act
FUDS Formerly Used Defense Sites
GCP General Conservation Plan

GHG greenhouse gas

GIS geographic information system

GWP global warming potential
HCP Habitat Conservation Plan
HMA Habitat Management Area
HSC Health and Safety Code

I Interstate

IID Imperial Irrigation District
IM Instruction Memoranda

IPCC Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
IUCN International Union for Conservation of Nature

KGRAs known geothermal resource areas

LADWP Los Angeles Department of Water and Power

LAUS Local Area Unemployment Statistics

LCRV Lower Colorado River Valley

LOS Level of Service

LR2000 BLM Legacy Rehost System LRO Locally Rare Occurrence

LSAA lake or streambed alteration agreement

LU Land Use

LUPA Land Use Plan Amendment

LWCs lands with wilderness characteristics

LWU Land and Water Use

MBTA Migratory Bird Treaty Act

MCAGCC Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center

MCAS Marine Corps Air Station
MCL maximum contaminant level
MLD Most Likely Descendant
MOA Military Operations Areas

MOU Memorandum of Understanding
MRDS Mineral Resource Data System
MSA Metropolitan Statistical Area

MSCP Multiple Species Conservation Program
MSHCP Multiple Species Habitat Conservation Plan

MT metric ton

MTBE methyl tertiary butyl ether
MTR Military Training Routes

MW megawatt

MWD Metropolitan Water District

NAAQS national ambient air quality standards

NAE Native American Element

NAF Naval Air Facility

NAWS Naval Air Weapons Station

NCCP Natural Community Conservation Plan

NCCPA Natural Community Conservation Planning Act

NDETR Nevada Department of Employment, Training, and Rehabilitation

NDMA N nitrosodimethylamine

NECO Northern and Eastern Colorado Desert Coordinated Management Plan

NEMO Northern and Eastern Mojave
NEPA National Environmental Policy Act
NHD National Hydrography Dataset
NHPA National Historic Preservation Act
NIFC National Interagency Fire Center

NLCS National Landscape Conservation System

NNL National Natural Landmark

NO2 nitrogen dioxide

NOAA National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

NOP Notice of Preparation

NPDES National Pollution Discharge Elimination System

NPS National Park Service

NRCS Natural Resources Conservation Service
NRHP National Register of Historic Places

NRT National Recreation Trails

NSHT National Scenic and Historic Trails
NTIR National Trails Intermountain Region

NVCS National Vegetation Classification Standard

NWI National Wetland Inventory
OES Office of Emergency Services

OHMVR Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation

OHP Office of Historic Preservation

OHV off-highway vehicle

OHWM Ordinary High Water Mark

ORV Outstandingly Remarkable Scenic Value

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

PC Predicted C

PEIS Programmatic Environmental Impact Statement

PFYC Potential Fossil Yield Classification PM10 Respirable Particulate Matter

PM2.5 Fine Particulate Matter

POHI California Point of Historical Interest

PRC Public Resources Code

PRGTL Pacific to Rio Grande Trail Landscape

PRPA Paleontological Resources Preservation Act

PSU Public Services and Utilities

PV solar photovoltaic

QSA Quantification Settlement Agreement RAMP Recreation Area Management Plan

RAQS Regional Air Quality Strategy

RAS Rangeland Administration System
RCRA Resource Conservation Recovery Act
RCYBP radiocarbon years before present

RE Renewable Energy

REAT Renewable Energy Action Team RMP Resource Management Plan

RNA Research Natural Area
ROD Record of Decision

ROW right-of-way

RPS Renewable Portfolio Standard

RWQCB Regional Water Quality Control Board

SAA Special Analysis Area

SANDAG San Diego Association of Governments

SB Senate Bill

SBNF San Bernardino National Forest

SCAG Southern California Association of Governments SCAQMD South Coast Air Quality Management District

SEZ Solar Energy Zone

SHPO State Historic Preservation Officer

SIC soil inorganic carbon

SIP State Implementation Plan

SMARA Surface Mining and Reclamation Act

SMS Scenery Management System

SNR State Natural Reserve

SO2 sulfur dioxide

SOC soil organic carbon

SR State Route

SRMA Special Recreation Management Areas

SSA Sole-source Aquifer

SVRA State Vehicular Recreation Area

SWPPP Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan SWRCB State Water Resources Control Board

TAC toxic air contaminant

TCA desert tortoise conservation areas
TCP Traditional Cultural Properties

TDS total dissolved solids

THPO Tribal Historic Preservation Officers

TRTP Tehachapi Renewable Transmission Project

UPRR Union Pacific Railroad

USACE U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
USBR U.S. Bureau of Reclamation
USDA U.S. Department of Agriculture

USFS U.S. Forest Service

USFWS U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

USGS U.S. Geological Survey
VOC volatile organic compound
VRI Visual Resource Inventory
VRM Visual Resource Management
VSOI visual sphere of influence

WA Wilderness Area

WDR Waste Discharge Requirement

WECO Western Colorado Desert

WECS wind energy conversion systems

WEMO West Mojave Desert WSA wilderness study area